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If you have troubles driving on the highways, consider the drivers of Army trucks recently sent to Iceland. Traffic had long traveled on the left side of the street. Now the huge military trucks do it the American way—on the right side.

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Fifteen Building Permits Issued

Building permits were issued during the past week to Louis Schultz, 639 Sartori avenue, for addition of a porch in the amount of \$80. Y. Okamoto was granted a permit in the sum of \$8,000 for the erection of a 6-room frame house at 18901 Prairie avenue. The Fur Farms, Inc., 2227 W. 182nd street, took out a permit to erect two new 12x25 ft. pens at a cost of \$400.

Yesterday business took a jump with the issuance of a permit for the erection of ten homes on the new Park Knoll tract north of the city park totaling \$30,000; the Standard Oil Company will remodel its service station operated by C. B. Mitchell at 1908 Carson street at a cost of \$4,800, and the General Petroleum Corporation will erect a neon sign at the Fred Harder station, 1256 Sartori at a cost of \$200. The grand total for the week ran to \$38,460.

Life Saving Equipment Is Demonstrated

The Lomita class in First Aid joined with the Torrance class last Thursday evening at the City Court Room for the demonstration by the Torrance Fire Department.

W. W. West gave a very interesting lecture and demonstrated the inhalator, iron lung, respirator and the resuscitator.

Both classes are now eligible and will follow on with the advanced course which will be under the direction of Mrs. Elsa Stone.

The new American naval attaché in China, Major James McHugh, U.S.M.C., is the author of a textbook on the Chinese "Mandarin" dialect.

MORE DELUXE DISCOVERIES

Who is the lady living here who fought Indians on many occasions? Which merchant is it that has not 99 hairs on his head? What person 80 years old has every tooth yet from childhood? Oh, yeah! We have all of this for you readers. Not by a jug-full will we miss the below persons for today we are combing places to find Mrs. J. M. Carson, Max N. Felker, William H. Tolson, Nyla Darling, Frank Tiscareno, Minnie L. Terry, Forrest D. Lipp, and Henry Bays.

Seventeen were entered in today's race. From the start they battled it over the course. So what? B. Wallace took the lead on the last turn and came first according to the judge's eye and it was nip and tuck between Ida Thompson and Mrs. Neal Webb, Jr., for place and show monies. This race was a "lalaloosa!" if you know what we mean.

"I'll take vanilla" is the answer to the dessert question in the air, ice cream being the favorite of passengers on the big airlines.

The international agreement regulating the treatment of war prisoners was signed by 47 nations, including Britain, Germany and the United States.

ARMY PAYS TOLLS TOO
United States Army vehicles are required to pay tolls on certain bridges and highways, just the same as civilian motorists. Sometimes it's found advisable to make detours.

Industrial activity in Chile has progressively expanded since the war started.

"Public Notices" "Public Notices"

ORDINANCE NO. 330
AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF TORRANCE FIXING THE TAX RATES AND LEVYING TAXES FOR THE FISCAL YEAR BEGINNING JULY 1, 1941.

The City Council of the City of Torrance does hereby ordain as follows:

SECTION 1. That for the purpose of raising the sums of money necessary to be raised by taxation upon the taxable property of the City of Torrance as a revenue to carry on the various Departments of said City for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1941, the rates of taxes for the different portions of the City of Torrance are hereby fixed and taxes are hereby levied on all taxable property in the different portions of the City for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1941, in the number of cents upon each one hundred dollars of the assessed value of said property as assessed by the County Assessor and equalized by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Los Angeles, State of California, and for the several funds and purposes set forth in the following table, the taxes levied upon property in each portion of said City hereinafter described and designated by a district number being at the rates set opposite the designations of the respective funds in the column headed by the district number, which is prefixed to the description of such portion of said city as hereinafter stated.

DISTRICT NO. 1. All that portion of the City of Torrance included within the boundaries thereof as originally incorporated.

- DISTRICT NO. 2.** All that territory annexed to the City of Torrance at the following annexation elections, to-wit:
- (a) December 8, 1925 West Torrance
 - (b) February 9, 1926 Northwest Torrance
 - (c) January 18, 1927 Meadow Park
 - (d) March 12, 1928 Walteria
 - (e) September 10, 1929 Helbush Tract, and
 - (f) May 24, 1931 South Torrance

ASSESSED VALUATIONS:

TAXATION DISTRICT NO. 1	\$ 9,163,915.00
TAXATION DISTRICT NO. 2	11,023,640.00
TOTAL	\$20,187,555.00

	TAXATION DISTRICT NO. 1	TAXATION DISTRICT NO. 2
FUNDS		
General Budget	1.00	1.00
Parks, Music and Advertising	0.10	0.10
General Promotion	0.01	0.01
Public Library - General Fund	0.03	0.03
Interest and Sinking Fund	0.03	0.03
Bond Election 1922	0.03	None
INTEREST AND SINKING FUNDS FOR PUBLIC BUILDINGS:		
Bond Election Sept. 27, 1935	0.02	0.02
City Hall and Jail Building	0.01	0.01
Public Assembly Hall Building	0.01	0.01
	1.20	1.17

SECTION 2. That in addition to the foregoing taxes there is hereby levied on all taxable land only in the Act of 1927 Municipal Improvement District No. 1 of the said City of Torrance, as said district is described in Ordinance of Intention of said City No. 208, which said ordinance is hereby referred to and made a part hereof, for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1941, the sum of fifty-five (55) cents upon each one hundred dollars of the assessed value of said property as assessed by the County Assessor and equalized by the Board of Supervisors of the County of Los Angeles, State of California, for a bond sinking fund, such assessed valuation of such property being the sum of \$1,593,520.00.

That no other levies of a special assessment tax is made by the City Council of the City of Torrance for any other acquisition and improvement district for the reason that said districts are partly within unincorporated territory of the County of Los Angeles, State of California, and for that reason the duty of making said levies is enjoined upon the Board of Supervisors of Los Angeles County, California, which said Board is hereby respectfully requested to make such levy in the manner and as required by law.

SECTION 3. That the immediate preservation of the public health, peace and safety require that this ordinance shall become effective immediately upon its adoption. The facts constituting such urgency are as follows: That statutes, in such cases made and provided, prescribe that the above tax rates must be certified to the Board of Supervisors of Los Angeles County, California, not later than the 27th day of August, 1941; that in event thirty days is allowed to elapse after the adoption of this ordinance before the same becomes effective, said last mentioned date will have passed and no tax rate will have been adopted and no taxes levied for the operation of said City and payment of said interest and principal of said bonds during the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1941, and if no taxes are levied or collected said City will not be able to function or pay said interest and principal of said bonds, all of which would menace the public peace, health and safety of said City.

SECTION 4. The City Clerk shall certify to the adoption of this ordinance and shall cause the same to be published once in the Torrance Herald, a weekly newspaper printed, published and circulated in the City of Torrance, and immediately upon its adoption the same shall be in full force and effect.

TOM F. MCGUIRE,
Mayor of the City of Torrance.

ATTEST:
A. H. BARTLETT,
City Clerk of the City of Torrance.
STATE OF CALIFORNIA
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES) ss.
CITY OF TORRANCE

I, A. H. Bartlett, City Clerk of the City of Torrance, California, do hereby certify that the foregoing Emergency Ordinance was introduced, approved and adopted at an Adjourned Regular Meeting of the City Council of the City of Torrance on the 20th day of August, 1941, by the following roll call vote:

AYES: COUNCILMEN: Babcock, Hitchcock, McGuire.
NOES: COUNCILMEN: None.
ABSENT: COUNCILMEN: None.

A. H. BARTLETT,
City Clerk of the City of Torrance.
(SEAL)
Aug. 21.

ARISTOCRATIC BOVINES



These two Holstein calves which James Price, young future farmer will enter in the junior division show at the California State Fair, August 29 through September 7, may look ordinary to a stranger, but to James they are "Nimble Superior Ormsby Annabelle" and her brother, "H. B. O. Nolan," aristocratic champions worthy of their halos and blue ribbons at least.



Sanji Abe is first American citizen of Japanese ancestry to be elected Hawaiian senator. He is shown with daughter, Bernice, during Los Angeles visit.

Colorado River Water Test Ends; Home Product Now Being Served

Water from the Torrance wells partially shut off during the test period when this city was delivered water from the Colorado river by the Metropolitan Water District, was again turned into local mains in full force last Monday morning.

During the past two or three weeks a mixture of half and half Torrance and Colorado river water has been delivered. Local users have been amazed and somewhat disgruntled over the gradual change in complexion of the water, which at first was a bright, sparkling blue, to a dull orange and in some cases a deep red, due to the action of chemicals in the Colorado river water upon the metal lining of hot water heaters, and house plumbing.

Foamy Boilers
According to Supt. W. H. Stanger, the Colorado River water, while it was soft and very satisfactory for laundry purposes, was not entirely satisfactory for other uses, and caused numerous difficulties to industrial plants,

in boilers, and in some cases the use of the mixed water had to be abandoned entirely. Difficulties which arose were due it is believed to the fact that chemical additions made for the sake of purity had to be the same for all cities of the MWD, regardless of the individual needs of the cities.

Many Problems Arise
In Santa Monica, where the greater part of the use of the water is for domestic purposes, the water was pronounced highly satisfactory. In communities where the water had to serve both domestic and industrial users, many troubles arose. These difficulties will have to be worked out, says Mr. Stanger, and it may take some time to adjust the water in its treated state to the needs of all types of customers.

However, from now on Torrance customers will be served with water from the city's own wells, where necessary treatment can be suited to the requirements of this community alone.

People

what they're doing

Miss Marga Obole spent Sunday with friends at Newport Beach.

Dr. R. A. Bingham, B. J. Scott and Tammy McNeil returned last Saturday from a hunting trip on the Hearst ranch near San Luis Obispo. They returned with two fine buck deer.

Miss Hazel Burchett is vacationing at the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. William Burchett.

Mrs. George Van Diver of Burlington, Iowa is a house guest at the B. F. Dye home.

Miss Corlita Reeve left Tuesday for a two weeks' vacation at Yosemite National park where she will join her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Vonderahe and family of Brawley.

Mrs. J. J. Benner is convalescing from a recent operation.

F. D. Lipp, 1304 Sartori ave., has received word of the death of his father who passed away Sunday, August 17, at Wichita, Kansas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Koch are spending a few days at Santa Catalina Island.

Among the out-of-town guests at the wedding of Miss Jean Smith and Phillips Brooks Sunday were several former residents; Mr. and Mrs. Sam Rappaport and daughter Harriet; Dr. Minnie Proctor; all of Los Angeles; Mr. and Mrs. Warren Johnston, of Escondido.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Morgan, Mmes. Billie Kerber, Elizabeth Brod and Helen Miller were dinner guests Tuesday evening of Mr. and Mrs. Zarkas, officers of Big Bear Chapter, O. E. S., and spent the night at Lake Arrowhead.

Mrs. Helen Miller, with five other associate matrons of the Eastern Star Chapters, attended a luncheon at the home of Mrs. Corine Melville, grand associate matron, in Beverly Hills last week.

Don Hitchcock is at home following a recent injury to his foot.

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